

**NC WATER TREATMENT FACILITY OPERATORS CERTIFICATION BOARD  
ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT**

**FOR PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2017**

**Introduction**

In 1969, G.S. 90A, Article 2 established the NC Water Treatment Facility Operators Board of Certification in an effort to protect the public health and conserve and protect the water resources of the State. The Board is tasked with protecting public investment in water treatment facilities and classifying public water treatment facilities. To accomplish this, the Board requires examination of water treatment facility operators to certify their competency regarding the supervision and operation of the water treatment facilities. The Board also establishes procedure and policy for classification and certification. The Board is the rule-making authority of 15A NCAC 18D, *Rules Governing Water Treatment Facility Operators*.

As per § 90A-21 (a), the Board consists of eight members appointed by the Governor. One member is currently employed as a water treatment facility operator; one is a manager of a NC municipality using a surface water supply; one is a manager of a NC municipality using a treated groundwater supply; one is employed as a director of utilities, water superintendent or equivalent position with a NC municipality; one is employed by a private water utility or private industry and responsible for the operation or supervision of a water supply and treatment facility; one is a faculty member of a four-year college or university whose major field is related to water supply; one is employed by the Department of Environmental Quality and working in the field of water supply; and one member who is not certified or regulated who shall represent the interest of the public at large.

**NC Water Treatment Facility Operators Certification Board Address:**

1635 Mail Service Center  
Raleigh NC 27699-1635

**Members and Officers**

Wendell Pickett, Chairman  
David Schaad, First Vice-Chair  
Steve Scruggs, Second Vice-Chair  
Angela Christian  
Jon Pons  
Samuel Call  
Linda Raynor  
Eric Davis

The NC Water Treatment Facility Operators Certification Board utilizes staff of DWR's North Carolina Operator Certification Program to achieve its objectives and carry out its directives. Program staff that contribute to the Board's objectives include an Environmental Program Supervisor II, two (2) Administrative Assistant I, an Administrative Assistant II, and an Extension Education & Training Specialist I position, which are funded through North Carolina Water Treatment Facility Operators Certification Board fee receipts.

The Environmental Program Supervisor functions as the supervisor for the administrative positions, promotes training opportunities, and assists in conducting water treatment examinations with staff assistance. The administrative positions are responsible for reviewing and processing exam applications, issuing initial and renewal certifications, tracking ORC designations for water treatment facilities and maintaining electronic records and data. The Extension Education & Training Specialist position provides educational outreach to operators and training providers as well as administrative support to the existing functions of the Board.

#### **FY 2016-2017 Fees Collected and Disbursed**

<b>Description</b>	<b>Total</b>
Fees collected FY 2016-2017	<b>374,199.47</b>
Salaries/Fringes for Administration paid	<b>250,397.15</b>
Purchased Services/Travel	<b>45,833.88</b>
Supplies	<b>4,766.60</b>
Equipment	<b>3,685.00</b>
Other Expenses	<b>620.84</b>
Unspent fees transferred to FY17-18	<b>0</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>307,900.97</b>